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Applicant: Young Sam LIM et al.
Title: POLISHING PAD, PLATEN METHOD OF MONITORING,
METHOD OF MANUFACTURING, AND METHOD OF
DETECTING
Attorney Docket: 2421-000028/US

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 27, 2006, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this Amendment.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this Amendment.

	Claims remaining after Amendment		Highest number previously paid for		Present extra
Total	12	-	58	=	0
Independent	1	-	17	=	0